Worksheet for Items Pending as of Feb. 10, 2003 Items listed are those that ranked above the median

Item	Pro's	Con's	Comments/Questions	
Big Picture Policies				
D) Create Park Districts: Consider the creation of "park districts:" to fund and construct City parks	* Money available for planning * Better tie between those who pay and benefit		* How do we do it now? Would this be a savings? * What kinds of costs would an average homeowner expect?	
Systems and Processes				
G) Platting process: Examine possible changes in the City's platting process				
Infrastructure Elements				
N) Costs for burying LES lines: Review costs ensured for burying LES lines as part of roadway projects.			* Consider who should pay for the burying of existing LES overhead lines as part of arterial street construction projects.	
E) Single vs parallel mains: Review wastewater system policies governing the use of a single main vs parallel mains in servicing a drainage basin	* My assumption is that smaller (and more) mains would be cheaper and possibly more flexible (shut down?).	* Final costs will be higher: Disrupt existing streetscape, street trees, etc.	* What has past experience told us?	

P) Arterials in urban cross section: Review policy to allow the City to build arterial streets in urban growth areas as a final cross section.	* Will cost less overall if build now * Get right-of-way now, at least. * Set the right of way edges and "build in"	* Too expensive * Doesn't always serve community's best interest * Not efficient use of money * Overbuilt infrastructure that will be under-used * Streets will be worn out before traffic justifies capacity * Think this takes way from flexibility and actually costs more.	* Can they be built with expansion in mind?
H) Dual left turn lanes: Review City policy for dual left turn lane on future arterials.	* If already have wide median, costs for 2nd turn lane is low * If right of way is in place, cost of adding turn lanes not that different, with or without big medians	* I think dual lefts are confusing, especially to less experienced drivers.	* What kinds of traffic numbers call for dual lefts. Will we reach those numbers in the next 25 years? * How does this save money or time?
I) Striping: Review the City's policy concerning the striping along City arterial streets			
M) Sureties policy: Review sureties policy for sidewalks and street trees along arterials.			